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OBJECTS.

I.

Persistently to set forth the National Importance of Eugenics in order to modify public opinion, and create a sense of responsibility in the respect of bringing all matters pertaining to human parenthood under the domination of Eugenic ideals.

II.

To spread a knowledge of the Laws of heredity so far as they are surely known, and so far as that knowledge might affect the improvement of the race.

III.

To further Eugenic Teaching, at home, in the schools, and elsewhere.

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ethical life, but that this good may be counterbalanced by irresponsible application. For charity to work good as well as to be good it must be attended by a perpetual scrutiny of methods and ends.

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PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED

Hygiene and Morality, by LAVINIA DOCK. (Publishers: G. P. Putnam & Sons. Price 5s. net.)

Hereditary Transmission of Defects in Man, by EDWARD STAINER. (Publishers: Oxford University Press. Price 2s. net.)

Divorce Problems of To-day, by E. S. P. HAYNES. (Published by The Divorce Law Reform Union. Price 1s.)

Evolution and Heredity, by Dr. BERRY HART. (Publishers: Rebman & Co., Ltd. Price 5s. net.)

The Ascending Effort, by GEORGE BOURNE. (Publishers: Constable & Co. Price 4s. 6d. net.)

Hereditary Characters and Their Modes of Transmission, by C. E. WALKER. (Publisher: E. Arnold. Price 8s. 6d. net.)

First Principles of Heredity, by S. HERBERT. (Publishers: A. & C. Black. Price 5s. net.)

The Physiology of Reproduction, by F. H. A. MARSHALL, D.Sc. (Publishers: Longmans, Green. Price 21s. net.)

QUARTERLY CHRONICLE

JULY 15th.—Mr. Montague Crackanthorpe and Sir Edward Brabrook represented the Society on a deputation to the Prime Minister (see Editorial Notes).

July 18th—22nd.—The Health Congress at Birkenhead, at the Royal Institute of Public Health. Papers were contributed on behalf of the Society by Mr. Ernest Lane on "Eugenics and Venereal Disease" and Dr. Herbert Barnes on "Medical Co-operation in Eugenics." Other papers given by members of the Society were: "The Teaching of Eugenics in Schools and Colleges," by Dr. Murray Leslie, and "Racial Degeneration," by Lady Dockrell.

September 1st.—An address was given by Dr. J. W. Slaughter at Southampton with a view to opening a branch of the Society.

September 30th.—A small Council Discussion was held at 20, Holland Street, to meet Dr. David Starr Jordan, Chairman of the American Eugenics Committee.

October 4th.—The opening meeting of the session at Caxton Hall, 5.15 p.m. Dr. David Starr Jordan spoke on "The Colour Problem in America." Professor Haddon of Cambridge very kindly presided.

October 5th.—Council Meeting at 29, Bloomsbury Square, 3 p.m.

October 10th.—Dr. Mügge addressed the St. Matthew's Literary and Debating Society on "The Principles of Eugenics."

October 16th.—Dr. Wyatt-Smith gave an address to the Greenwich Ethical Society.

October 19th.—The October evening meeting at Denison House, Mr. J. H. Koeppern on "The Eugenic Value of Maternity Insurance." Sir Edward Brabrook presided.

October 20th.—Miss Deane opened a course of lectures to the Acton Social Welfare Committee.

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THE GLASGOW EUGENICS EDUCATION SOCIETY

The Glasgow Eugenics Society has now completed its organisation and support is invited from sympathisers in Scotland. The following lectures will be given during the winter session.

Oct. 11. "Eugenics," Miss Reid, M.A., Ross Street Literary and Debating Society.

Nov. 16. "Eugenics and Heredity," Dr. Ettie Sayer, Glasgow Health Culture Society.

" 22. "Eugenics and Mendelism," Mrs. Merritt Hawkes, B.Sc., D.Sc., Glasgow University.

" 23. "Eugenics," Mrs. Hawkes, B.Sc., D.Sc., Drawing-room meeting.

" 12. "Parenthood and National Efficiency," St. Rollox Co-operative Society.

" 19. "Eugenics and the Feeble-Minded," Dr. Tredgold, Glasgow Fabian Society.

All members willing to collect pedigrees are asked to communicate with the Hon. Secretary, F. KERRY, 27, Holyrood Quadrant.

Dunedin, New Zealand.—A branch of the Society was opened in August, a large inaugural meeting being held, at which the following officers were elected: Hon. President: Hon. J. G. Findlay, LL.D., K.C., Attorney General, N.Z. President: Prof. W. B. Benham, D.Sc., F.R.S. Vice-Presidents: The Rev. Canon Curzon Siggers, M.A.; Miss Emily Siedeberg, M.B., B.Sc.; A. H. Grinling. Hon. Treasurer: M. D. Bedford, M.A. Hon. Secretary: Miss MacGeorge.

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Liverpool.—A meeting was held at the Liverpool Medical Association on October 20th, at which Sir James Barr, Vice-President of the Society, gave an address. Before the close of the meeting, a unanimous resolution was carried to open a Branch of the Society in Liverpool. Sir James Barr was elected President, and Mrs. Johnson Houghton Honorary Secretary. Several well-known University and Medical men were chosen members of Council. A full list will be given in our December number.

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Southampton.—As the outcome of a meeting held in September, a eugenics group has been formed, whose promoters hope shortly to register as a branch. Prof. Hearnshaw was elected President, Mr. Saunders, Vice-President, and a small committee appointed consisting of Mrs. Swalm, Prof. Hearnshaw, Dr. Stancomb and others. Interest in eugenic matters is being aroused. Two discussions have been held.

On October 28th, Dr Alex. Mackeith, M.B., opened a discussion on "Nature as Distinct from Nurture."

Miss D. Cooper, Esquind Colón, Hill Lane, Southampton, is Hon. Secretary, and will be pleased to receive names of those wishing to join the Society or obtain particulars as to lectures, etc.

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Birmingham.—A branch is in process of formation.

EUGENICS AT THE CONFERENCES

THE past three months have been marked by numerous Conferences and General Meetings of medical bodies. The growing importance of eugenics in the minds of medical men may be gauged by the amount of time and attention devoted to the consideration of different aspects of the problem, especially those relating to matters under consideration for legislation. It is apparent that eugenic measures in social reform will receive the hearty support of the medical profession. At the annual meeting of the Medico-Psychological Association, Edinburgh, Dr. Ewart urged the segregation of defectives in Colonies in a paper entitled "Eugenics and Degeneracy."

At the Birkenhead Congress of the Royal Institute of Public Health, held at the end of July, three eugenic papers were read by members of the Society. Dr. Murray Leslie urged the education of the young in eugenic ideas and ideals in a paper entitled "The Teaching of Eugenics in Schools and Colleges." Mr. Ernest Lane gave a paper on "Eugenics and Venereal Disease," and Dr. Herbert Barnes on "Medical Co-operation in Eugenics," soliciting the support of the medical profession in advocating the requirement of certificates of fitness before marriage. Lady Dockrell addressed the Women's Section on "Racial Regeneration."